Introduced by Wagner, Follows Oregon Law Recently Upheld by Supreme Court.

(Special to The Evening World.) ALBANY, Jan. 16.-Calling it a war measure in the interest of "human conservation and efficiency," Democratic Senate Leader Wagner introduced a minimum wage bill for working women, explaining:

"In this country our women are already being employed in large numbers in manufacturing all sorts of war supplies, and will be increasingly so employed. To obtain the maximum output, without impairing the health of the working women, it is essential to protect them from such dangers, as excessive hours of labor and wages too low to afford decent

"When wages are so low that working women are compelled to live being women are compelled to live be-low the proper level of subsistence, health and working capacity both suffer disastrously. Since last win-ter the way has been opened for the passage of this essential legislation by the decision of the Supreme Court of the United States upholding the constitutionality of the Oregon mini-mum ways law. mum wage law.

"The highest tribunal of the country has decided that the States may, under their police powers, establish a system of standardizing women's wages. Minimum wage regulations are a genuine aid to sound industry."

Wagner's bill is similar in many respects to the Oregon statute. It

respects to the Oregon statute. It provides for a commission and subordinate wage boards for separate occupations which, after investigation of the cost of living, shall fix minimum wages for women for the different grades of service and localities.

"This legislation," asserted Wagner, "is not revolutionary. The recent decision places the minimum of living wage legislation on exactly the same

wage legislation on exactly the same basis as legislation limiting the hours of labor. Both are health measures justifiable under the police powers of this State. Justice to employers, jus-tice to the workers, alike demand this

#### OBITUARY NOTES.

Capt Cornelius Ackerman, eldest resident of Caldwell, N. J., died yesterday aged ninely-two years. Jacob Shaffer, a member of the firm f George H. Shaffer & Co., sea food ealers, is dead at his home, No. 83 larkson Street, Brooklyn, aged eighty-

he in Asbury Park,
seph P. Kilgore, prominent in Grand
Aly circles, is dead at his home, No.
34 Sixth Street, Brooklyn, at the age
of youty-four years.
Ju Winner, descendant of early
but ploneers who settled in the villaser Bergen, N. J., is dead at his
houth Jersey City.
Mr. Jane DeM. Costuma, aged
ninetyx, died yesterday at her home,
No. 31 Broadway.

## TWO PICKLOCKS FOUND

Passed In Through Window, Be-

lieves Sheriff, Who Will Now
Ask for Screens.

What is believed to be an attempted jall delivery in the Bronx County Jail was frustrated early to-day when Sheriff Donnelly and Warden Lynch discovered in the cell of Oscar Goebler, known to the police as "the Butcher Boy Burglar," two teaspoons filed so that they could be was returned to Jail. His wife was denied the privilege of seeing him to-day.

#### used as skeleton keys or lockpicks. The HOT SULPHUR BATHS poons were not of the kind used in the jail, and ewdently were smuggled in by With Sulfluid ON BRONX JAIL PRISONER a visitor or handed through the window. at Home in Your Own Bathtub The 300 windows of the jail have iron bars, but there is no wire screen to prevent prisoners from reaching out, and the place is easily reached from the

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Important Sale of Women's and Misses' Winter Coats

## OPPENHEIM, CLLINS & C

34th Street-New York

For Tomorrow (Thursday)

Women's and Misses'

Nutria Collar

## Velour Cloth Coats

Attractive ripple back model of velour cloth in smart colorings. Nutria fur collar, new slant pockets, with wide belt.

Lined Throughout

Offering Extraordinary Value at

**25.**00

Women's and Misses' Velour Cloth Coats; tailored model with belt in the wanted colors. Nutria collar and cuffs; lined throughout. Reduced to

Hudson Seal Collar Coats of superior velour cloth; smart and exclusive custom-tailor models; silk 39.75 lined throughout and interlined. Reduced to

### EntireStock of Higher Cost Coats

At Extraordinary Reductions

## Summer Delicacies in January That Reduce Year-'Round Table Expenses

HE old theory was that to serve "seasonable" foods out-of-season symbolized luxurious living. The modern housewife knows better. She understands that by so doing, she is aiding to reduce the cost of living. For, thereby, she is Ilping maintain markets that offer an inducement to conserve perishable foodduring months when they are grown-assisting to keep down the average year-round cost of table requirements.

THI is far more than her acceptance of throod Administration's plan; it is farsighted mmon sense.

#### How lousewives Can Help

THUS, she making possible the building of cold storage ints in every locality-adequate reservoirs for stong foods when they are produced in plenty to be dributed later when they are needed. And she is wing to do this; for, she has come to comprehend threal function and significance of cold-storage; shunderstands that foods which go into cold-storage, good condition will remain sothat the foods wh, come unfit out of the cold-storage plant are tho which had been held too long for sale before be put there. And she knows, moreover, that foo so stored are not held indefinitely—that the stee, piling up of interest and in-surance charges dernds that they be released to the market long beforthe next crop.

Perhaps, this year, when foods are higher than usual, housewives appreciate more fully the service which such an organization as that of Armour and Company provides. For, not alone does Armour collect foods at their choicest where Nature produces them best, not only does Armour transport them under refrigeration to where they are most needed, but Armour also stores them scientifically-under conditions which are ideal and which insure perfect keep-

#### No Feast-No Famine

THUS, if you will think it over, you will see that what Armour is really doing for you is to equalize the national food supply over both the country and the seasons so that nothing will be lost-so there will not be a glut at one period of the year and pro-hibitively high prices at another.

If you will consider the facts carefully, you will find in them the reason why for assured quality always, it will pay you to ask your dealer for Armour's food



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bigger, brighter, better store

Thrift is the slogan every-where. Bloomingdales' is the Mecca for thrifty shoppers.

Sale of

**House Dresses** 

Tomorrow, \$1.59

Because there is a slight im-

perfection in them-you can

barely see it-they are marked

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Material

blue and gray checks and blazer stripes on white ground.

Models

White pique collar and cuffs.

Two rows of pearl buttons trim

Complete Range of Sizes

At \$1.98-Extra Size Dresses

of striped gingham with sailor

Bloomingdales'-Main Floor

Of small checked gingham.

Fine quality gingham. Pink,

selling.

your questions.

the result.

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Sale of Hosiery

Men's, Women's & Children's

Men's Cotton Socks, 121/2c Pair

Men's Mercerized Socks, 19c Pair

Men's Silk Finish Lisle Socks, 24c Pair

Soles and heels reinforced; black, white and colors. (Seconds,

Men's "Nu Toe" Thread Silk Socks, 33c Pair

Women's Mercerized and Cotton Hosiery, 14c Pr.

Women's Mercerized Hosiery, 24c Pair

Women's Gold Stripe Hosiery, 69c Pair

Boys' and Girls' Onyx Hosiery, 24c Pair

Medium weight, ribbed cotton hosiery; children's mercerized stockings also shown.

Bloomingdales' Main Floor

black, white and colors; reinforced heels and

Reinforced heels and double soles; black, white and colors; slightly

elete size assortments represented in each item

The big annual sale of hosiery is now in progress. Com-

500 Volunteer Workers Wanted Bloomingdale Bros. have placed at our disposal a floor of 10,000 square feet for the making of hospital garments. We need 1,500 more volunteers to devote at least three hours per week to this work.

Aux, 229, American Red Cross, N. Y. County Chanter.

#### Upholstery Workrooms Equipped for Special Orders

As an indication of our low prices, we make to order-

Shades with side hems, mounted on Hartshorn rollers, 36x72.......... 95c

For immediate delivery we ave a quantity of awnings made in our workrooms during the dull season.

Striped Awnings, mounted on galvanized frames, 3 ft. wide, 5 ft. long, ready to hang.... \$2.50

Slip covers are an important art of our workroom service.

Slip Covers to order, of 50-inch striped materiin linen finish, bound or French seams, by the yard ..... \$1.00

Upon request our representative will bring samples. Phone Plaza 5900.

Bloomingdales'-Third Floor

#### Sale of Spring Boots for Women, \$4.85

Seven new models, 9 inches high. All are fine looking, well made and service-giving. Sizes 3 to 8, in widths B, C, D. Bloomingdales'-Main Floor

#### January Sale of Household and Dressmakers' Needs and Notions

Standard Qualities at Decisive Price Reductions Pins

Atlas Snap

Dress Shields "Dressmakers" Special" Cambrie cover, sub

berized cloth lining; regular opera and creerent shape:

30-der 1,00r pr. No. 4-der 1,10r pr. 10r 0-der 1,35r pr. 12e Shields, size 4:

Fasteners All stres, black of white: per groun. 35c: three dozen.

Atlas Safety

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Hooks and Eyes 

Dossemakers' Plas best
quality will not rost.

Nickel Plated Safety
Pins, a papers for 10c
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quality sheet of 400
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Shoe Dressing,

Brassieres with Dress Shields, 65c A standard quality in various styles and in all sizes

Sanitary and

Flat Linen Cornet Laces

Basting Cotton 100 mord 400 vard security Nos. 40 50 and 50 white 50e doz. Belting All-Silk Taffets Rib-bon (Seara Binding) best a u a lity full width S-yd please \$1.50 doz.; per please

Mercerized Gross Grain
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Sewing Machine Oil, 2oz hottle Ser 4-oz
hottle 10e
Cubbler Outfils 45e
Plash Polishing OutFig. Plash 8 h o e
Arches, call 65e
Slinner Trees: 5 pairs
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Clothes Hangers Mood Garment Hang-Wood Hangers, for evening gowns, 3 for 10c wanthe cowns, 3 for word Hangers, with 10th pada, for shirts or trousers 3 for 11th Wooden Combinetton Suit Hangers 50 Nickel binted wir Modf Hangers 10th Wax friles, went wish borte shape suit Hangers 10th Nickel placed to the Suit Hangers 10th Hanger

#### Lowered Prices Prevail in Our Upholstery Section An up-to-the-minute department, well stocked with

Tapestry Portieres, Pair \$3.75 to \$17.50 Designs and colorings to match any color scheme.

Heavy Tapestry, Yard, \$2.50 Patterns and colorings for furniture coverings.

Striped Satin Damask, Yard, \$2.95 Newest colorings.

Tapestry Couch Covers \$2.45, \$3.65, \$4.95 Limited quantities.

Cretonne, Yard, 25c Suitable for knitting bags.

Mercerized Figured Poplin, Yard, \$2.50 Solid colors with small in terwoven designs in contrasting colors.

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Plain Velour,

Velour Cushion Slips, Oriental Colors, 50c Solid Colors, 85c

All Cars Bloomingdale State to 3d Av.

## Future at Rare Savings In Our January Sale of White

Crepe Bloomers

50c flesh batiste bloomers;

reinforced; elastic knees and

59c cotton crepe bloomers

reinforced with gusset; elas-

Silk Bodices, 59c

Jap silk with half depth of Filet effect and other

Crepe de Chine

**Envelope Chemises** 

\$1.98

ed tailored effects

A host of styles. Hemstitch

tic knees and waist.

strong lace yokes.

A group that spells daintiness of a substantial, servicegiving kind. Values that you want-because exceptional. Batiste and Cotton

Ways to Provide for the

Night Gowns and **Envelope Chemises** 

Night Gowns-high and -neck and slipover effectsand Envelope Chemises trimmed with various laces.

> Cotton Crepe Night Gowns

Slipover effects. As illustrated, and model with dainty blue feather stitching.

Flesh Batiste Envelope Chemises

Actually hand-embroidered vitu damies and French knots. Others-tailored effects prettily hemstitched. Ribbon shoulders.

and fancy lacetrimmed affairs. Flesh Batiste

Pajamas, \$1.00 As pictured. Billie Burke style of soft, silk-like

## pale blue. White All Linen Table Cloths

batiste bound in

In the January White Sale . From a famous Scotch manufacturer, in a variety of beautiful patterns, at less than to-day's wholesale prices. 2x2 yds., \$4.50, \$5.50 | 2x234 yds., \$5.50, \$6.50 | 2x3 yds., \$6.50, \$7.50 Napkins to match, 22 inches square, at \$5.00 and \$6.50 doz; 24 inches square, at \$6.50 and \$7.50 doz.

Imported Irish Union Linen Table Cloths, \$2.75 and \$3.75

Pure bleached; size 67x68 inches, 2.75; size 67x86 inches, \$3.75. Napkins to match, \$2.95 doz.

Mercerized Damask Table Cloths, \$1.50, \$1.75 & \$2.25 Hemstitched, scalloped and un-

Extra Quality Union Huck Towels, 35c and 50c Each Hemmed, size 18x36 inches, 35c. Hemstitched, size 20240 inches, 50c.

1,500 Doz. Linen Finish Huck Towels, 121/2c, 15c, 19c and 25c Each Colored borders or all white.

Turkish Bath Towels at 25c, 35c and 45c Each Soft, spoory Bath Towels, pure bleached; some with colored borders.

All Linen Toweling, 19c and 25c Yard For dish, hand and roller towels

Splendid Kitchen Toweling, 12 c and 15c Yard Good, absorbent qualities.

\$3.95 Dozen Size 22222 inches; firm, heavy qualities; in various choice patterns from Ireland.

Irish All-Linen Napkins,

1,000 Dozen Mercerized Damask Napkins, \$1.50 and \$1.75 Dozen Linen finish; excellent napkina for everyday service; hemmed; 18 inches square, \$1.50 dozen; 20 inches, \$1.75 dozen.

Mercerized Table Damask, by the Yard, 38c & 58c Yd. In table cloth lengths, of 134, and 239 yards.

Table Damask, 2 Yards Wide, 75c & 95c Yard Beautiful patterns; mercerized

White Goods

White Long Cloth, in 10-Yd. Pieces, at \$1.25 Pc. White Long Cloth Extra fine qualities for fine under

wear, in to-yard pieces, at \$1.98 and \$2.25 piece. White Nainsook

in 10-yard pieces, at \$1.79 and \$2.25 piece. Table Cloths (Slightly

Soiled) at Bargain Prices.

Light weight and very fine weave,